## **Sheridan Hills Upper School Summer Reading List 2024-2025**

Each student must choose <u>one book from</u> the list according to their incoming grade. Students must **closely read** the novel and be prepared to write an essay, which will count as their **first test grade** for Quarter One.

Students returning from the 2023-2024 school year, regardless of registration timing, and new students who register during the summer, must complete the summer reading assignments on the regular assigned due date, which is the **first week of school**. New students that enroll in August or after the first day of school will be given an alternative assignment.

# Entering 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

The Call of the Wild by Jack London ISBN# 9781673349511

The Merry Adventures of Robin Hood by Howard Pyle ISBN-13# 978-1-59191-043-2

\*\*\*Please note that the assessment for the summer reading will be different for this grade level. The teacher will explain the requirements in the first week of school.

#### Entering 6<sup>th</sup> Grade

20,000 Leagues Under the Sea by Jules Verne ISBN# 9781954839113

Kidnapped by Robert Louis Stephenson ISBN# 9781544219462

\*\*\*Please note that the assessment for the summer reading will be different for this grade level. The teacher will explain the requirements in the first week of school.

#### Entering 7<sup>th</sup> Grade

Anne of Green Gables (unabridged version) by L. M. Montgomery ISBN-13: 978-0553213133

Treasure Island by Robert Louis Stephenson ISBN-10: 1101990325

#### Entering 8<sup>th</sup> Grade

The Adventures of Tom Sawyer (unabridged version) by Mark Twain

Little Women (unabridged version) by Louisa May Alcott

### Entering 9th Grade

A Tale of Two Cities by Charles Dickens

Emma by Jane Austen

### Entering 10th Grade

Jane Eyre by Charlotte Bronte

The Count of Monte Cristo by Alexandre Dumas (abridged version)

### Entering 11th Grade

**Group A:** The Winter of Our Discontent by John Steinbeck

**Group A Honors:** East of Eden by John Steinbeck

### Entering 12th Grade

The Picture of Dorian Gray by Oscar Wilde

There will be an in-class assessment during the second week of school. This will be the first **TEST** grade of the quarter. All returning students and new students that enrolled during the summer must take this assessment at the time it is given. Those that enrolled in August will be given an alternative text to read and will be able to take the in-class essay on the day it is assigned in class. **No exceptions or extended deadlines will be given.**